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1. An Amendment C After Final.
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Serial number: 09/419,748
Filed: October 16, 1999
Title: PRINTER TEAR BAR AND PRESENTER SYSTEM
Attorney docket number: 732.341 SDG.UA-Printer Tear Bar System

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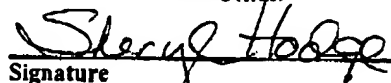
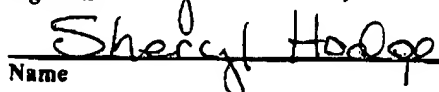
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AMENDMENT C - AFTER FINAL

In response to the Office Action mailed September 19, 2001, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS

20 Please amend claim 20 as follows:

20. (Amended) A tear bar for assisting the separation of a piece of media from a strip of media, the strip of media having a surface, a first and second side, and a center portion, the tear bar comprising:

25 (A) a first side portion, the first side portion being adapted to abut the surface of the strip of media adjacent to the first side of the strip of media and apply resistance

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